

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

FOREST SERVICE WILLAMETTE NATIONAL FOREST MCKENZIE BRIDGE, OREGON

ORDER # 06-18-01-18-26

FOREST ORDER OCCUPANCY AND USE

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited in the areas described in this order within the administrative boundaries of the Willamette National Forest. This Order is effective on November 15, 2018 and shall be in effect until rescinded or April 30, 2019, whichever is earlier.

PROHIBITIONS:

- 1. Entering into or being upon National Forest System lands closed for the protection of public health or safety. 36 CFR § 261.53(e)
- 2. Being on the road. 36 CFR § 261.54(e)
- 3. Being on a trail. 36 CFR § 261.55(a)

TERWILLIGER FIRE CLOSURE AREA DESCRIPTION:

All areas affected by this closure are located within Lane County, Oregon. In Township 16S, Range 5E, Sections 30-32, Township 17S, Range 5E, Sections 4-9, 15-21, 28-33, and Township 18S, Range 5E, Sections 4-6, 8-9.

The closure includes all US Forest Service lands, roads and trails within the boundary described below and as depicted on the attached map and incorporated into this order as "Attachment A".

Moving in a counter clockwise direction, the Closure starts at the intersection of Forest Service road 19 and Forest Service road 1993. The closure briefly follows Forest Service road 19 to the boundary between Township 16S and Township 17S. The closure follows the boundary between Township 16S and Township 17S to the US Forest Service land boundary then follows the Forest Service Land boundary south to Forest Service road 1980-231. The closure boundary then moves southeast following Forest Service road 1980-231 then following Forest Service road 1980 back to Forest Service road 19. The closure then goes north up Forest Service road 19 to the French Pete Trail. The closure follows the French Pete trail to the Three Sisters Wilderness boundary and follows the wilderness boundary north to Forest Service road 1993. The closure continues along Forest Service Road 1993 to connect back to the intersection with Forest Service road 19. The closure also includes the area east of Forest Service road 1900-410 west of the power transition line in Township 16S Range 5E sections 30 & 31.

Campground Closures:

- French Pete Campground
- Cougar Crossing Campground
- Sunnyside Campground
- Slide Creek Campground

Closed Trails:

- Lowder Mountain Trail #3329
- Walker Creek Trail #3330
- Rider Creek Trail #3319
- Lower East Fork/Lower Echo Trailhead
- Echo Trailhead

Closed Recreation Sites:

- Terwilliger Hot Springs
- Echo Day Use and Boat Launch
- Slide Creek Boat Launch

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

- (1) Any person with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission;
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- (3) Owners or lessees of land in the area.

These restrictions are implemented for the safety of the public, and fire suppression personnel.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

This order supersedes Forest Order 06-18-01-18-25 executed October 2018.

Executed in Springfield, Oregon, on this day of November, 2018.

Holly Jewkes

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Willamette National Forest

Violations of these prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for a corporation or imprisonment for not more than six months or both. Title 16 USC Section 551.

